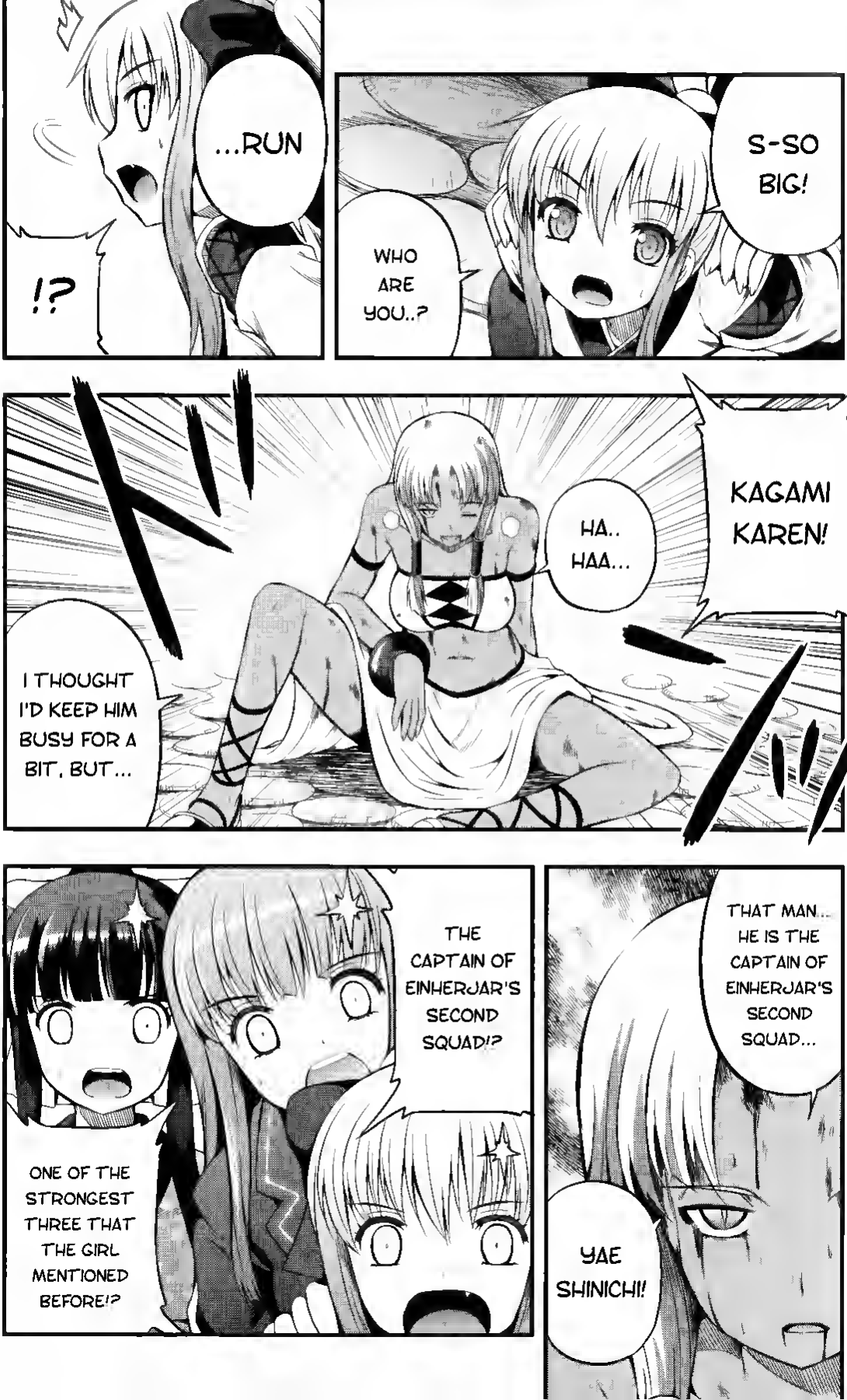
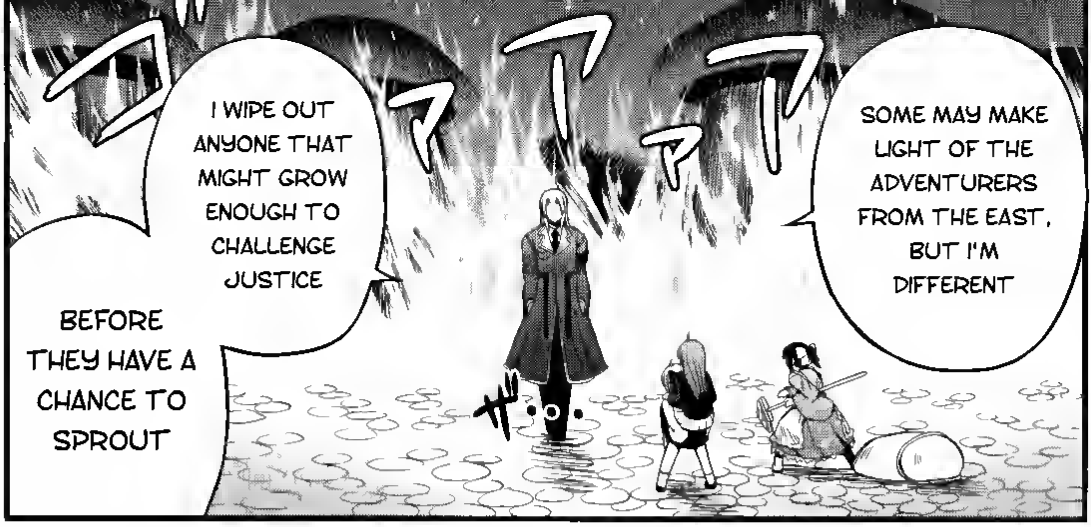
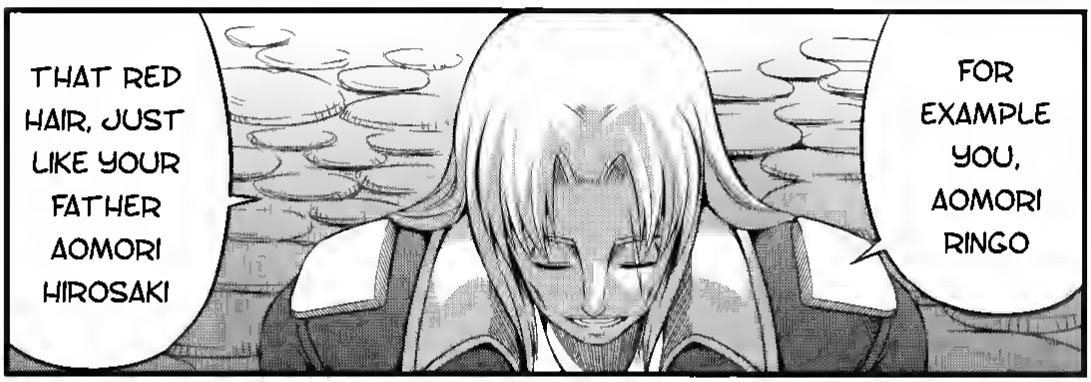
CHAPTER 11: TO THE SKY, AND THEN...

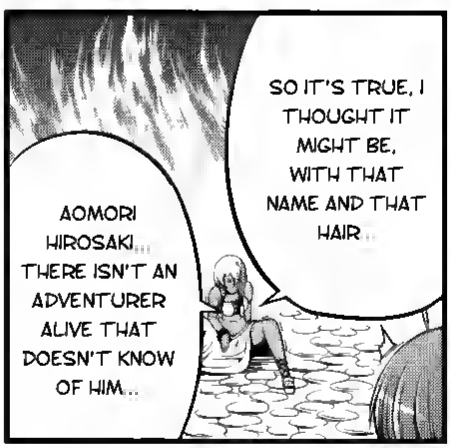
THAT ROOM WASN'T GOING TO LAST! DID YOU GET EVERYTHING!?
YES, NANA-SAMA!
ALRIGHT, WE'RE AWAY FROM THE INN
WE NEED TO FIND A PLACE WHERE THE FIRE ISN'T SO STRONG...
IS THIS GOING TO BE OKAY?
CARRYING HER ON YOUR BACK...
I'M GOING TO DO IT!
EH...

WELL THAT WAS EASY
AOMORI RINGO AND AOBA NANA!


...RUN
!?
S-SO BIG!
WHO ARE YOU..?
KAGAMI KAREN!
HA.. HAA...
I THOUGHT I'D KEEP HIM BUSY FOR A BIT, BUT...
THE CAPTAIN OF EINHERJAR'S SECOND SQUAD!?
ONE OF THE STRONGEST THREE THAT THE GIRL MENTIONED BEFORE!?
THAT MAN... HE IS THE CAPTAIN OF EINHERJAR'S SECOND SQUAD...
YAE SHINICHI!

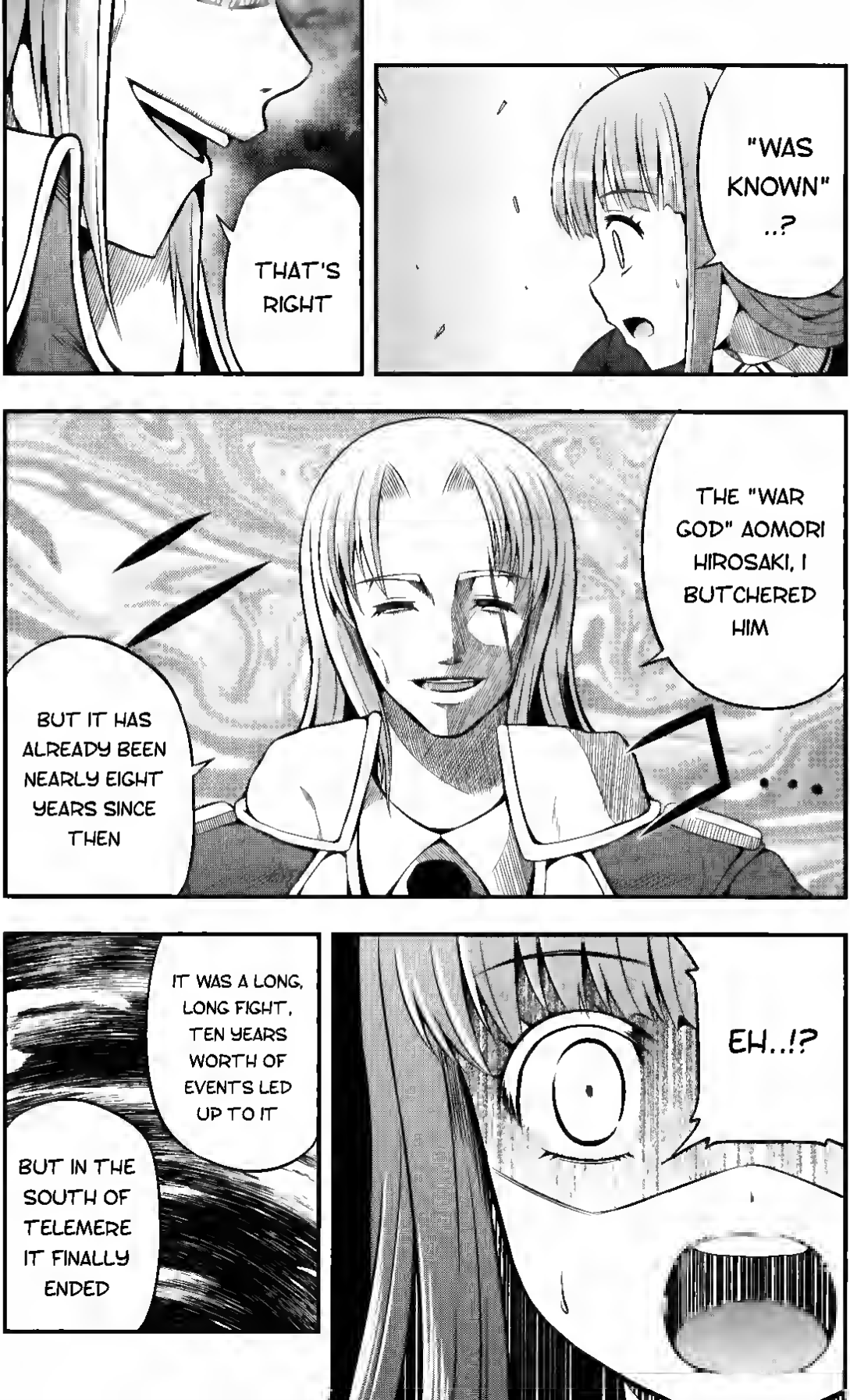

I WIPE OUT ANYONE THAT MIGHT GROW ENOUGH TO CHALLENGE JUSTICE
BEFORE THEY HAVE A CHANCE TO SPROUT
SOME MAY MAKE LIGHT OF THE ADVENTURERS FROM THE EAST, BUT I'M DIFFERENT


THAT RED HAIR, JUST LIKE YOUR FATHER AOMORI HIROSAKI
FOR EXAMPLE YOU, AOMORI RINGO


SO IT'S TRUE, I THOUGHT IT MIGHT BE, WITH THAT NAME AND THAT HAIR...
AOMORI HIROSAKI... THERE ISN'T AN ADVENTURER ALIVE THAT DOESN'T KNOW OF HIM...

THE MAN WHO CAME CLOSEST TO OZ, THE GREAT ADVENTURER WHO WAS KNOWN AS
"WAR GOD"

EH..!?
YOU KNOW PAPA!?


THAT'S RIGHT
"WAS KNOWN" ..?
THE "WAR GOD" AOMORI HIROSAKI, I BUTCHERED HIM
BUT IT HAS ALREADY BEEN NEARLY EIGHT YEARS SINCE THEN
IT WAS A LONG, LONG FIGHT, TEN YEARS WORTH OF EVENTS LED UP TO IT
BUT IN THE SOUTH OF TELEMERE IT FINALLY ENDED
EH..!?

W-WHAT ARE YOU SAYING... PAPA CAN'T BE DEAD...
R-RINGO!

HOWEVER
IT COST ME DEARLY

I'M... GOING TO MEET HIM AND TELL HIM THAT I KEPT MY PROMISE...
SO THERE IS NO WAY HE IS DEAD, NO WAY...

THERE IS
NO WAY!
UWAA
OH... A LIMIT BREAKER...
AS I THOUGHT, JUST LIKE YOUR FATHER

TELL ME ONE MORE TIME, WHERE IS PAPA!?
STOP RINGO! HE BEAT KAGAMI KAREN!
YOU'VE GOTTA CALM DOWN..!
WHERE IS
PAPA!?
UWAHH RINGO!

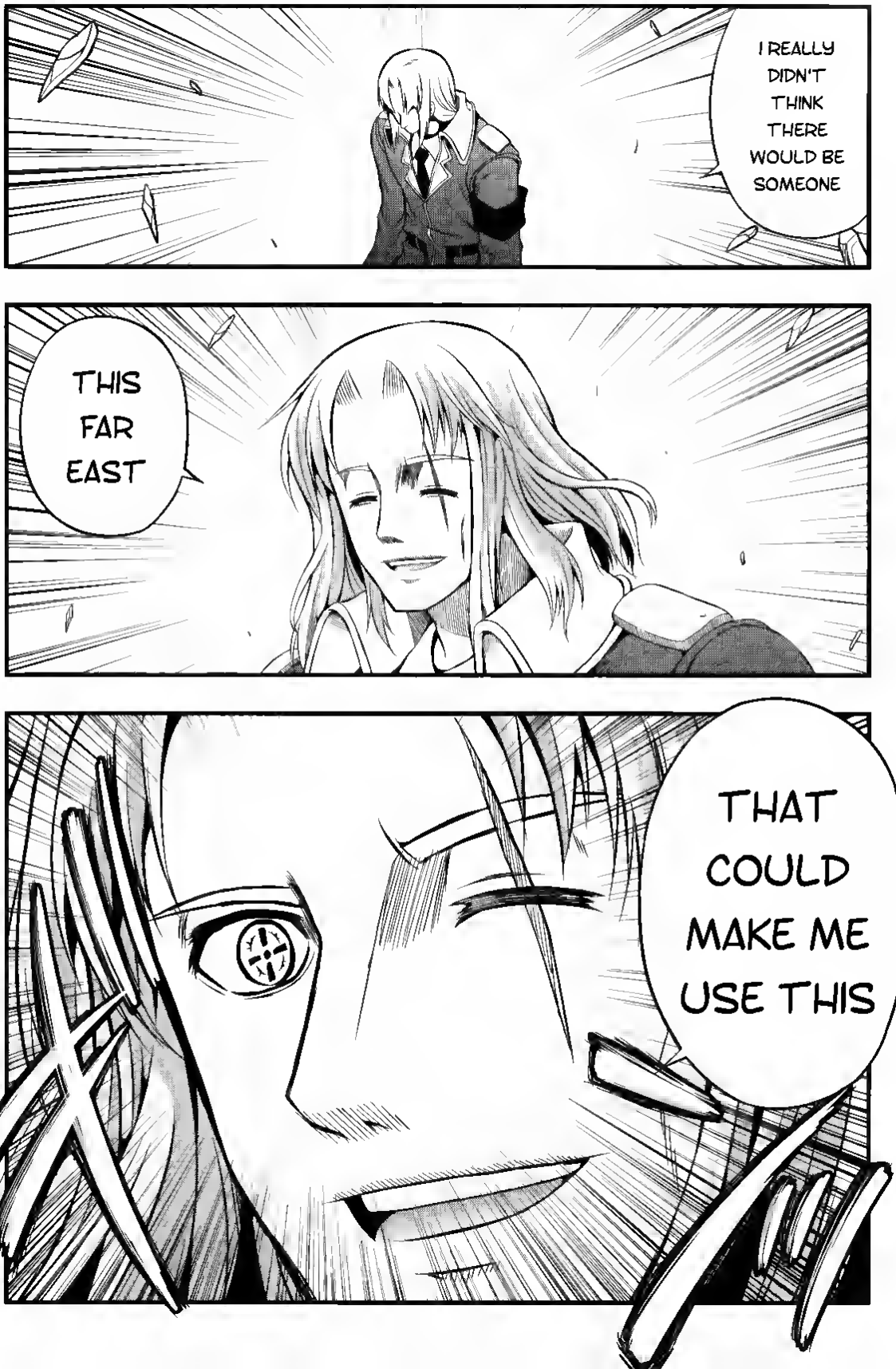
シュウウウ…
THE LIMIT BROKEN AOMORI KICK?
THAT TAKES ME BACK...

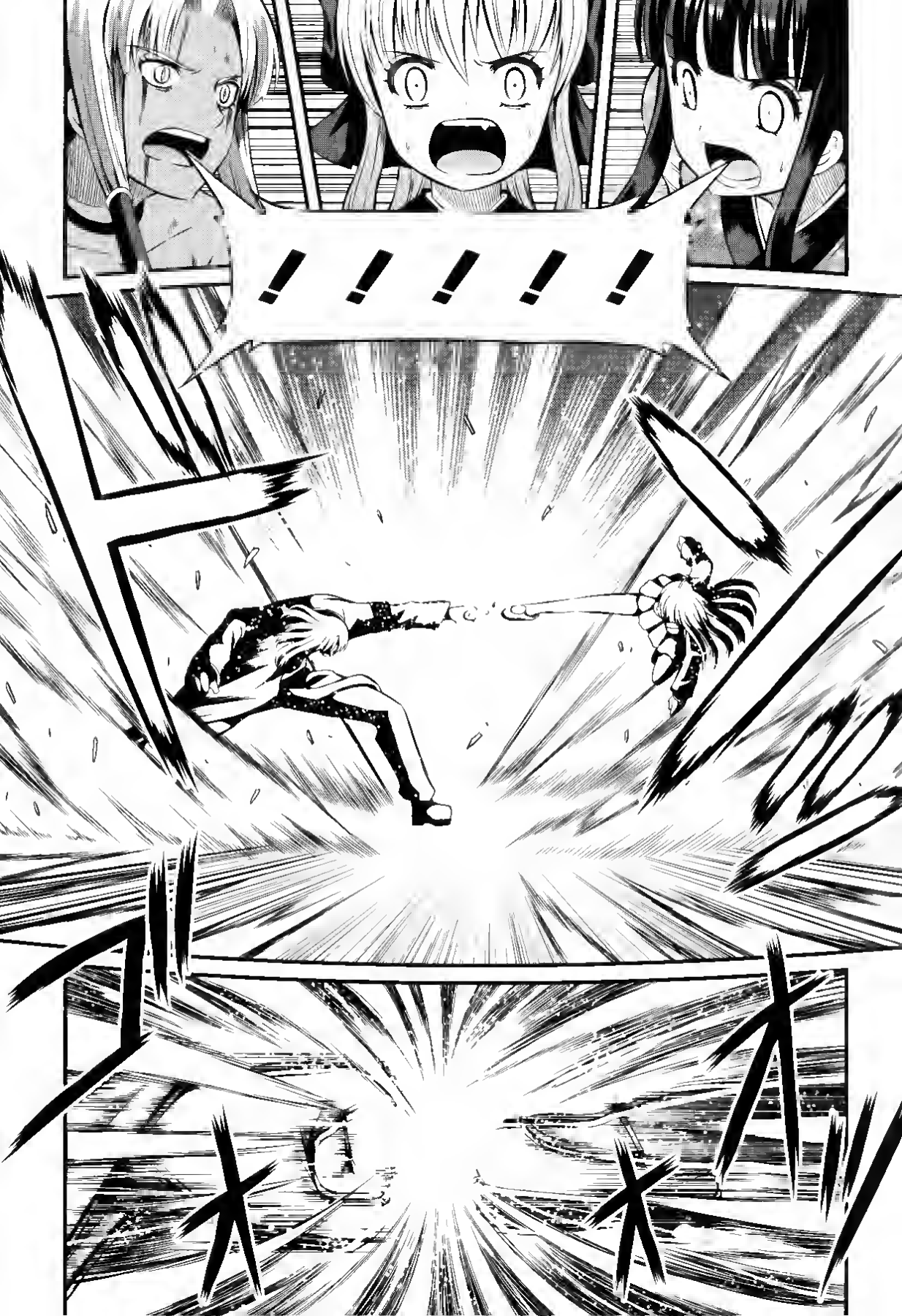
WHERE IS PAPA?!

THIS GUY..!
HE STOPPED HER KICK WHEN SHE WAS THIS ANGRY!

THOUGH YOU STILL FALL SHORT OF YOUR FATHER
BEING AGAINST A LIMIT BREAKER REALLY IS A DISADVANTAGE

STOP RINGO!
WHERE-


I REALLY DIDN'T THINK THERE WOULD BE SOMEONE
THIS FAR EAST
THAT COULD MAKE ME USE THIS



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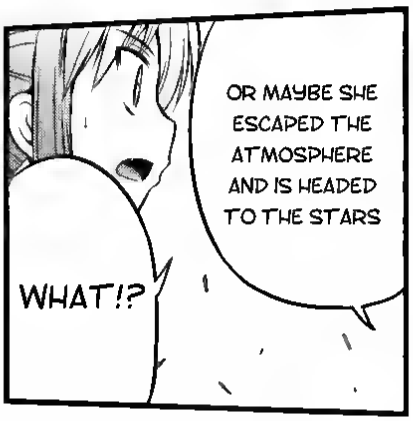
EH!?

スタ…
UH…
AS ALWAYS,
THIS POWER
IS DIFFICULT
TO CONTROL
I'D HAVE
PREFERRED
NOT TO HAVE
HAD TO USE IT

Y-
YOU...
I CAN'T CONFIRM THE CORPSE LIKE THIS
WHAT HAVE YOU DONE...


OR MAYBE SHE ESCAPED THE ATMOSPHERE AND IS HEADED TO THE STARS
WHAT!?

I WENT A LITTLE OVERBOARD
SO SHE'LL EITHER FALL INTO THE OCEAN OR SLAM INTO THE GROUND

YOU..!!!

EITHER WAY
YOU'LL NEVER SEE HER ALIVE AGAIN

NOW... YOU ARE ALL IS LEFT, OUBA NANA
IF I GET RID OF YOU, THE ONLY OF THE SEVEN REMAINING...
I DON'T KNOW WHAT YOU ARE TALKING ABOUT... RINGO... GIVE RINGO BACK!!
HOLD ON, NANA-SAMA!
DON'T BE RASH! THE DIFFERENCE IN STRENGTH IS FAR TOO MUCH!
WE HAVE TO GET OUT OF HERE!
AH, BUT I CAN'T LET YOU GET AWAY
"
WITH THIS, MY MISSION WILL BE COMPELETE..!

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-TOP
HIKARU AND THAT WEIRD MAN!
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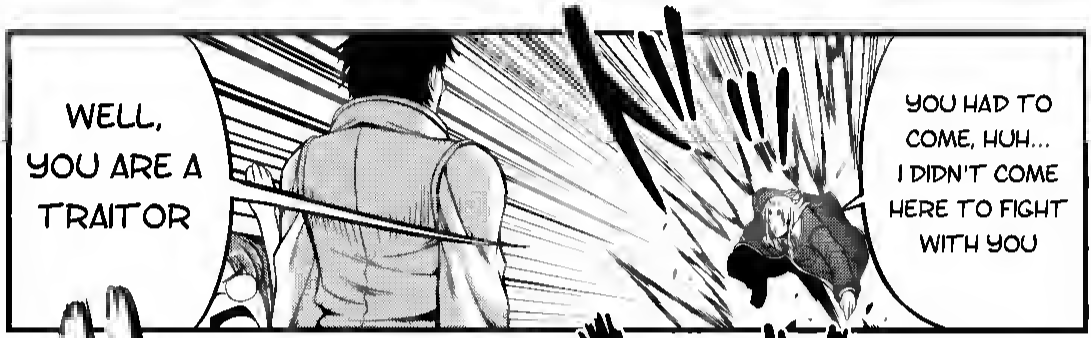
AH... YOU SENT AOMORI RINGO FLYING...
I CAME TOO LATE
AHHH, YAE SHINICHI... SCARY...

HEY NOW
KIJI-SAN, IT HAS BEEN SUCH A LONG TIME
HYAAA KIJI-SAN, THIS IS SCARY!
WE'RE REPORTERS, WHAT ARE WE DOING HERE!?
STILL ALIVE, YOU'RE JUST AS STRONG AS EVER
YEAH, SINCE THE VALHALLA INCIDENT
EH? YOU KNOW HIM?
ALL OF THE ACTIONS OF MY NATION'S APOSTLES ARE JUST
YOU SHOULD KNOW THAT WELL
YOU HAVEN'T CHANGED YOURSELF, TO DESTROY A CITY TO ELIMINATE ONE ADVENTURER
YOU'RE SERIOUSLY ROTTEN

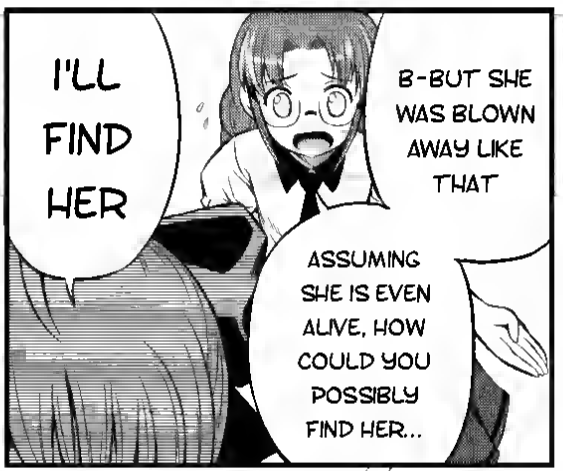
I'LL KEEP HIM BUSY HERE
LOOKS LIKE TALKING IS POINTLESS... HIKARU, TAKE THEM AND GET OUT OUT OF THE CITY


WELL, YOU ARE A TRAITOR
YOU HAD TO COME, HUH... I DIDN'T COME HERE TO FIGHT WITH YOU

I'M DOING THIS FOR JUSTICE, SO DON'T HOLD IT AGAINST ME
LET'S DO IT

EEEH!? EVEN KIJI-SAN IS A LIMIT BREAKER
MORE IMPORTANTLY, NANA-SAN, WE HAVE TO RUN!
...SORRY
HURRY THIS WAY!
AH... HA...

WE'LL HAVE TO HIDE FOR A WHILE
THE PROBLEM IS WHAT WE DO FROM NOW, ONE OF EINHERJAR'S CAPTAIN'S IS AFTER US
WE SHOULD BE ALRIGHT AFTER COMING THIS FAR


I'LL FIND HER
B-BUT SHE WAS BLOWN AWAY LIKE THAT
ASSUMING SHE IS EVEN ALIVE, HOW COULD YOU POSSIBLY FIND HER...

NO.. I'M SEARCHING FOR RINGO RIGHT AWAY..!
NANA-SAMA...

WE'RE UNDER THE SAME SKY AND ABOVE THE SAME GROUND
IF SHE IS ALIVE, I'LL FIND HER

I BELIEVE THAT RINGO IS ALIVE
ウウウ…
SO I CAN'T GIVE UP
HAVING LOST ALL TRACES OF RINGO
HYA- IT'S DANGEROUS
GET OUT OF THIS COUNTRY-
NANA'S JOURNEY BECAME A JOURNEY TO FIND RINGO
BUT DOKKANON IS A HUGE PLACE
YOU FORTUNE TELLER!
WHERE IS RINGO!?
IN ORDER FOR THEM TO MEET AGAIN...
...TWO YEARS WOULD HAVE TO PASS

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DON'T TELL ME YOU CAME HERE ALONE
YOU'RE WITH "NANA OF BANANA," WHERE ARE YOUR COMRADES?
WELL, IT WORKS FOR US
UUH...
UAH!
WHAT'S THAT COMMOTION?
THANK YOU FOR COMING BY